

# INFORMATION REPORT

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Military Installations

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1. The former Goldberg Textile Factory in Varnsdorf (051/F87) has been turned into a military barracks, capable of housing approximately one battalion. Civilian houses near the factory are being requisitioned as officers' billets. The installations are not yet occupied.
2. The former Koch Machine Shop in Varnsdorf is being used as a military storehouse, and is guarded by members of the SNB.
3. The former municipal commercial school in Varnsdorf which is situated in the vicinity of the Goldberg factory has been taken over by the Army. Two army kitchens and probably messing rooms are being installed there. Soldiers have been working there since about March 17, 1952.
4. The old mansion house in Straz pod Ralskem (051/F95) is being cleaned and adapted for military use. [REDACTED] observed soldiers working there. He was told that soldiers had been working there for a month.\*

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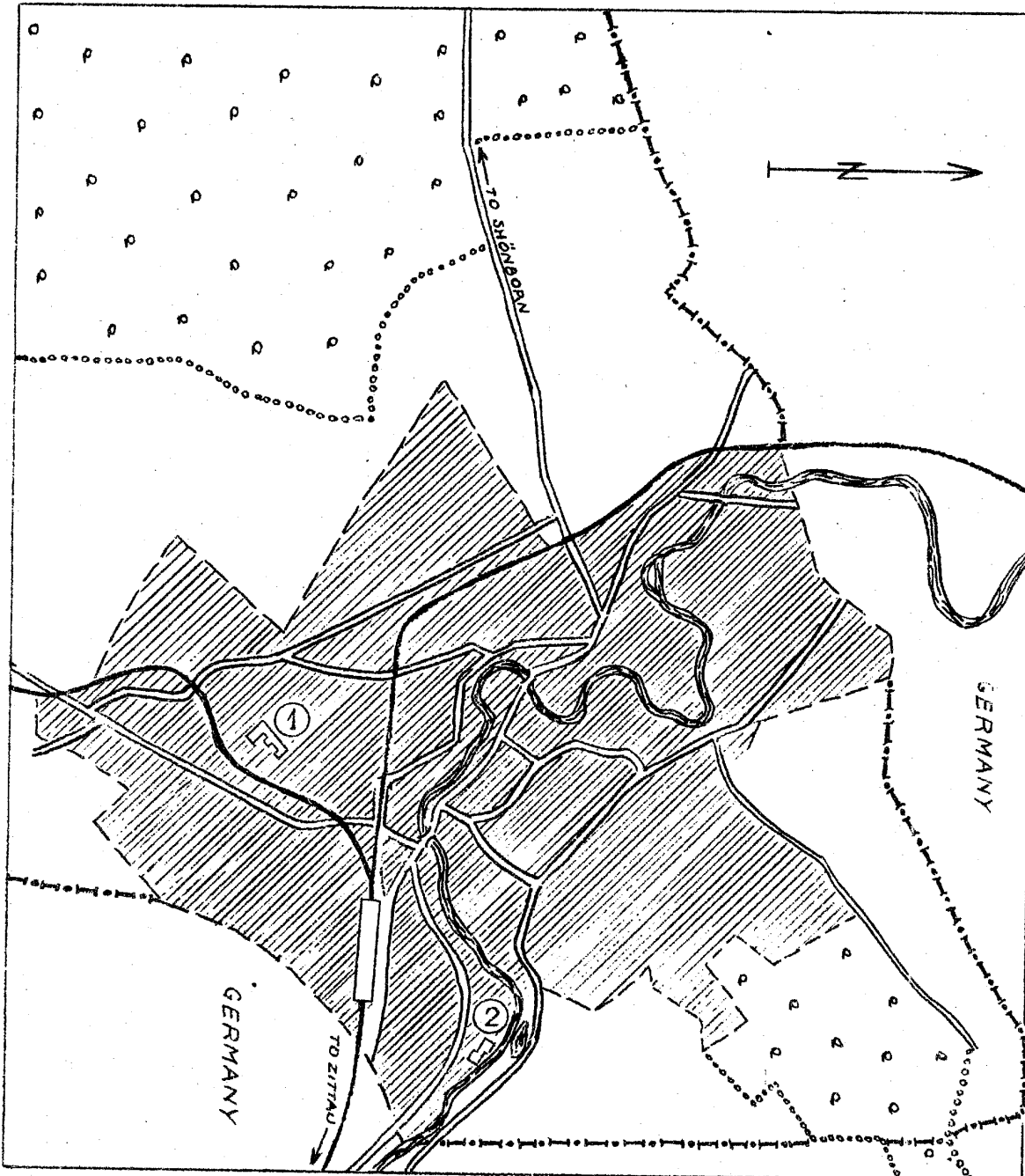
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ATTACHMENT 1

Sketch of Varnsdorf



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KEY: 1. Goldberg Textile Factory  
2. Koch Machine Shop (Ferocet)

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